

Ouachita, Ozark and St. Francis National Forests

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Prescribed Fire Notice Ouachita and Ozark-St. Francis National Forests

NOTICE: National forest fire managers are currently conducting prescribed burns in areas across the Ouachita and the Ozark-St. Francis National Forests. This notice provides information on the day's expected activities.

Prescribed burns expected to occur today, Thursday, January 28 2016, include:

Ozark National Forest:

Pleasant Hill Ranger District

Vicinity: Oark AR

County: Johnson

Acres: 203

Boston Mountain Ranger District

Vicinity: Fern, AR

County: Franklin

Acres: 1388

Sylamore Ranger District

Vicinity: Optimus AR

County: Stone

Acres: 650

Ouachita National Forest:

Poteau/ Cold Springs Ranger District

Vicinity: Waldron AR

County: Scott

Acres: 1835

Mena/Oden Ranger District

Vicinity: Harvey AR

County: Scott

Acres: 219

Oklahoma Ranger District

Vicinity: Cooperville

County: McCurtain

Acres: 300

A prescribed fire is one that is ignited by highly trained fire personnel under specified fuel and weather conditions to achieve specific resource objectives.

Daily prescribed fire updates can also be found at: www.fs.usda.gov/ouachita or by calling 1-888-243-1042.

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